



## Internal Letter



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SUBJECT FUTURE USE OF ROOM 141, BUILDING 771

Currently the use, or non-use, of room 141 in Building 771 has been a subject of discussion. The room has been sealed up for a number of years due to contamination problems.

One of the current thoughts being discussed is to fill the room with concrete and losing its availability until the building would be dismantled. This still does not alleviate the potential problem of radioactive materials being washed into the subsoil and possibly out from beneath the building.

With our current safeguard posture, the conversion of the room into a storage area for metal would solve a major problem. In addition, the additional benefit of using the room for storage of materials awaiting processing would result in a decrease in the radiation exposure to operators from near-line storage.

Please give this proposal the benefit of your thought. It may not be the most cost effective on a tangible basis, but the future requirements of safeguards and radiation exposure may require a more expensive solution to be necessary at a near future date.

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